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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Matthew James LEWIS-ABURN and Michelle  
Anita LEWIS-ABURN  
: A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A  
MOULDED ARTICLE AND A PRODUCT OF THE  
METHOD  
Docket : ROCKCO P52AUS

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

By way of preliminary amendment, please amend the above identified application as set forth below.

**In the Specification:**

Please cancel pages 1 and 2 of the specification, in their entirety, in favor of a clean form of pages 1 and 2 of the specification, without any markings thereon, accompanying this response. Also accompanying this response is a copy of the original pages of the specification which show the addition(s) (by red ink) and the deletion(s) (by strikeout) to the canceled specification pages. The amended specification pages do not include any new subject matter and only include the changes which are indicated on the marked-up copy of the specification pages. Please enter the replacement specification pages into the record of this case.

**In the Abstract:**

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**In the Claims:**

Please cancel original claims 1-5, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, favor of new claims 6-10.